

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH  
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**FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.: 4578-01  
Bill No.: HB 1900  
Subject: Law Enforcement Officers and Agencies; Prisons and Jails  
Type: Original  
Date: March 11, 2002

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**FISCAL SUMMARY**

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS                                 |            |            |            |
|---|------------|------------|------------|
| FUND AFFECTED   | FY 2003    | FY 2004    | FY 2005    |
| None  |            |            |            |
|   |            |            |            |
| <b>Total Estimated<br/>Net Effect on <u>All</u><br/>State Funds</b> | <b>\$0</b> | <b>\$0</b> | <b>\$0</b> |

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS                                 |            |            |            |
|---|------------|------------|------------|
| FUND AFFECTED   | FY 2003    | FY 2004    | FY 2005    |
| None  |            |            |            |
|   |            |            |            |
| <b>Total Estimated<br/>Net Effect on <u>All</u><br/>Federal Funds</b> | <b>\$0</b> | <b>\$0</b> | <b>\$0</b> |

| ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS |            |            |            |
|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| FUND AFFECTED                       | FY 2003    | FY 2004    | FY 2005    |
| <b>Local Government</b>             | <b>\$0</b> | <b>\$0</b> | <b>\$0</b> |

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.  
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**FISCAL ANALYSIS**

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ASSUMPTION

Officials from the **Department of Social Services, Department of Conservation, Department of Transportation, Department of Economic Development, Department of Health and Senior Services, Office of Attorney General, and the Department of Corrections** assume the proposed legislation would have no fiscal impact on their agencies.

| <u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u> | FY 2003<br>(10 Mo.) | FY 2004    | FY 2005    |
|---|---------------------|------------|------------|
|   | <u>\$0</u>          | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> |
| <u>FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government</u> | FY 2003<br>(10 Mo.) | FY 2004    | FY 2005    |
|   | <u>\$0</u>          | <u>\$0</u> | <u>\$0</u> |

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

The proposed legislation could have a fiscal impact on small businesses who provide medical care to inmates.

DESCRIPTION

Under current law, the state Legal Expense Fund may be used to pay claims or judgments against certain licensed medical care providers employed by the state to provide services to inmates of state correctional facilities. This proposal would add county jails to that provision.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space. This legislation would not affect Total State Revenue. However, the proposal increases the exposure of the state Legal Expense Fund.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Department of Economic Development  
Department of Transportation  
Department of Conservation  
Department of Health and Senior Services  
Department of Social Services  
Department of Corrections  
Office of Attorney General

NOT RESPONDING

Boone County Sheriff  
Cole County Sheriff  
Greene County Sheriff  
Jackson County Sheriff  
St. Louis County Department of Justice Services



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